GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – The Andhra Pradesh Forest Subordinate Service Rules, 2000 – Amendment – Orders – Issued.

ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY (SEC.V) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 92 Dated: 06-12-2017

Read the following:-

1) G.O.Ms.No.88, Environment, Forests, Science & Technology (For.IV) Department, dated 19.07.2000.
2) Representation of the A.P. Junior Forest Officers' Association, dated 04.10.2010.
3) Memo.No.9050/For.V/2010-1, Environment, Forests, Science & Technology (For.V) Department, dated 16.07.2011.
4) From the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Andhra Pradesh, Letter No. 32276/2010-A2, dated 13.09.2011.
5) Memo.No.9050/For.V/2012-2, Environment, Forests, Science & Technology (For.V) Department, dated 06.01.2012.
6) Memo.No.5046/Sec.V/2015-7, Environment, Forests, Science & Technology (Sec.V) Department, dated 18.05.2017.
7) From the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Andhra Pradesh, Letter Ref. No.15407/2015/HR-2, dated 05.07.2017.
8) From the Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, Letter No.826/RR/2017, dated 23.11.2017.

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ORDER:-

According to the Andhra Pradesh Forest Subordinate Service Rules, 2000, issued in the G.O. first read above, 55% of the vacancies in the category of Beat Officer shall be filled by direct recruitment and 45% of the vacancies shall be filled by promotion of (i) Assistant Beat Officer including Tanadars and (ii) Plantation Watchers, Bunglow Watchers, Boat Sarang in the ratio of 8:1.

2. In the representation second read above, the President, Andhra Pradesh Junior Forest Officers' Association, has submitted that the Assistant Beat Officers are not getting promotion even after completion of 10 to 18 years of service and requested to enhance the quota of Assistant Beat Officer for promotion to the category of Forest Beat Officer to a tune of 60% to do justice in favour of lower field category Assistant Beat Officer.

3. In the letter fourth read above, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Andhra Pradesh, has submitted a proposal to reduce the quota under appointment by direct recruitment to the post of Forest Beat Officer from the existing 55% to 45% and requested the Government to amend the rules.

4. Government, after careful consideration of the report of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Andhra Pradesh, have decided to amend the Andhra Pradesh Forest Subordinate Service Rules, 2000 suitably.

(P.T.O.)

5. Accordingly, the following notification will be published in an Extra-Ordinary Issue of the Andhra Pradesh Gazette dated 06.12.2017.

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India and of all other powers hereunto enabling, the Governor of Andhra Pradesh, hereby makes the following amendment to the Andhra Pradesh Forest Subordinate Service Rules, 2000, issued in G.O.Ms.No.88, Environment, Forests, Science & Technology (For.IV) Department, dated 19th July, 2000 as subsequently amended from time to time.

AMENDMENT

In rule 3 of the said rules, for Note 2 (a) and (b), the following shall be substituted, namely:-

(a): 45% of the vacancies in the category of Beat Officer shall be filled by direct recruitment.

(b): The vacancies in the category of Beat Officers and other than those to be filled by direct recruitment shall be filled by promotion of (i) Assistant Beat Officer, including Tanadars and (ii) Plantation Watchers, Bunglow Watchers, Boat Sarang in the ratio of 8 : 1.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

G. ANANTHA RAMU
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Commissioner of Printing, Stationery and Stores Purchase, Andhra Pradesh, Vijayawada with a request to publish the Notification in the Andhra Pradesh Extraordinary Gazette and supply 50 copies).
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Andhra Pradesh, Guntur.
The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, Hyderabad
The General Administration (Services-E) Department.
The Law (G) Department.

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SECTION OFFICER